

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace paragraph number 0015 with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0015] Fig. 6 is a ~~cutaway~~ cross-sectional view of the annular collar for information display of ~~Fig. 4~~ Fig. 5 taken along the line 6-6 thereof;

Please replace paragraph number 0017 with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0017] Fig. 8 is a cross-sectional view of the beverage decanter bearing an annular collar of Fig. 7 along the line ~~7—7~~ 8-8 thereof.

Please replace paragraph number 0026 with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0026] Fig. 7 shows a top view of a beverage decanter bearing an annular collar 21 of Fig. 1. As shown in Fig. 7, the handle 22 of the ~~annular collar 21~~ decanter 20 may extend through the gap 33 of the annular collar 21. Recessed areas 35 may be provided to allow the annular collar 21 to fit beverage decanters having tapered necks.